## COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH

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## **ABILIFY**

## **Client Eligibility Criteria**:

Must be a US Citizen or Legal resident alien.

Does not have benefits, e.g., SSI, Medi-Cal, HMO, etc.

May receive General Relief or Interim Funding.

Has no prescription coverage.

Medicare ok.

## **Bristol Myers Squibb process:**

Application good for 90 days. (Reminders will be sent after 60 days.) Notify BMS if client receives benefits or financial situation changes.

Checklist:
PAP identifier "Y-PAP" is entered into client's IS Financial Screen in HMO/PHP field <b>before</b> entering the PATS prescription that corresponds to this application.
MD has completed and signed Bristol Myers Squibb Abilify PAP application Form. Please order a 90 days supply.
Abilify prescription for one month's supply of medication is entered into PATS. Make sure the PAP identifier is in the IS prior to entering the prescription.
DMH form <u>Authorization for Use or Disclosure of Protected Health Information (PHI)</u> is explained and client has signed. Authorization is filed in client's chart; do not send to DMH Pharmacy Services.
Bristol Myers Squibb (BMS) Abilify PAP Application form is explained and client has signed.
Procedure:
BMS Abilify PAP application form is faxed to Bristol Myers Squibb, <b>1-866-598-5561</b> .
BMS Abilify PAP application form is faxed to DMH Pharmacy Services, 213-637-2550. (Please write MIS# on this copy.)
Abilify PAP original application forms are filed in central location in clinic.
Disclosure is noted on DMH "Account Tracking Sheet" and filed in client chart.